UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

WILLIAM DUCLOS, Petitioner,)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 05-10715-MEL
LUIS SPENCER,)	
Respondent.	j	
)	

MOTION TO DISMISS

Respondent Luis Spencer moves that this petition for writ of habeas corpus be dismissed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d)(1), because it was filed nearly fifteen years after the conviction it challenges became final.

For this reason, and for the reasons set forth in the accompanying Memorandum of Law in Support of Respondent's Motion to Dismiss, respondent respectfully requests that this petition be dismissed with prejudice.

Respectfully submitted,

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